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EASTERN DATES TO MARCH 4

Suicide

Mansion Ian. March 1. Henry [illegible] for many years an engineer on the Mississippi and Charleston Railroad, another victim of [illegible] being told that his wife was [illegible] walked out of the door and shot himself with a pistol [illegible] head as I blow his life out.

New York Central Railroad

ALBANY, March 3. The New York Central Railroad is paying interest on [illegible] of eighty per cent. The Legislature [illegible] failed to make returns to the revenue office the company was to day assessed by the State Assessor for five per cent on this dividend. The tax amounts to $1,152,000.

Cuban Affairs

NEW YORK, March 3.—A Havana letter gives the details of the arrest and execution by the Spanish, of alleged members of the Cuban Junta at Santiago. The arrests numbered forty to fifty and eighteen were executed, including two Americans. The victims were arrayed before the Commission and condemned, and then admitted the existence of the association to which they belong, but they deied its being a political junta, and said it was only a Masonic Lodge, and that they met as Masons for Masonic purposes. This defence appeared to have angered instead of satisfied the Spaniards. A Catalonian priest, who has been noted for the ultrism of his loyalty and for his violent denunciations of the Cubans pronounced Free Masons no better than insurgents. He said that the rising of the Vega was plotted and planned in a Masonic lodge and that Cespedes is a Mason, and wherever Masons congregate there Spanish loyalty dies. The American Consul Phillips, ably seconded by Ramsden, the British Consul, endeavored hard to save the lives of his two countrymen but was unsuccessful. The volunteers insisted upon their life blood being shed as well as that of their Cuban associates, and thwarted all appeals intended to prevail upon the Government of the District to spare them. The two American were Free Masons and one of the Cubans was Senor Andres Lapuerta of the Grand Orient of Masons of the island. Phillips reports that the remaining prisoners are to be executed but the statement from other sources are that, the Lieutenant Governor is opposed to any man's execution, and has written for instructions. The volunteers, headed by Col. Boet, were furious at the delay, and clamored loudly for the execution of all the arrested parties, and the event may have happened already, since it is likely that the Lieut.-Governor had to succumb to the demand. Some Americans are also included in this lot, and Phillips has asked the American Government for a man of war. The British Consul has also written to his Government that a British war vessel should be kept constantly at his disposal. On the 12th, a British subject, Frederick Jordon, was murdered by the Spanish volunteers. The murderer was arrested. This act is said to have been done from other motives than political.

New York News.

NEW YORK, March 3.—The Chamber of Commerce to day adopted resolutions deploring the untimely death of Burlingame.

Judge Blatchford has denied the motion to discharge the attachment in the case of John N. Gushing and others against the property in this country of John Laird, the builder of the *Alabama*, and looking to the recovery of damages for the destruction of the ship *Sonora*.

The stakes on the Edwards Collier prize fight were embezzled by a messenger from the temporary to the final stake holders. The loss was assumed by the temporary stake holders and Edwards received the money.

Washington News.

WASHINGTON, March 3.—The Secretary of State has sent to the Senate a draft of a bill for the better security of life on steamers, approved by Board of Supervising Inspectors. It includes all the essentials of previous statutes and contains a large number of new and strong provisions.

The House Committee on Commerce have concluded to recommend that the seal fisheries in Alaska be leased to the company recently organized, for the term of twenty years on certain pecuniary conditions.

A delegation from the National Tobacco Association had a lengthy conversation with Commissioner Delano to day. They advocated a uniform tax of sixteen cents a pound on chewing and smoking tobacco and snuff arguing that an annual revenue of twenty five millions would thus be obtained.

The Secretary of State has informed Congress that Venezuela has failed to comply with her agreement to make payment of the principal and interest of the damages awarded citizens of the United States, by a mixed commission formed under the convention of 1865.

Secretary Fish has received a dispatch from the United States Minister at Yokohama dated February 1, stating that the wreck of the *Oneida* has been discovered and that her armaments will possibly be recovered. A thorough investigation is being held.

The Prize Ring

NEW YORK, March 3.—A match for light weight championship is being arranged between Billy Edwards and Barny Aaron. Both parties have consented to put up a forfeit and the fight will take place in three months. The stakes will be not less than $2,000 a side. Articles will be signed in a few days.

Fire at Richmond.

RICHMOND, March 3.—The buildings of the Manchester Cotton and Woolen Manufactory were destroyed by fire to day. One hundred and fifty men are thrown out of employment by this fire.

Indian Hostilities

ST. LOUIS, March 3.—Letters from Fort Sisseton give accounts of the warlike attitude of the Sioux Indians. They made an unsuccessful attack on Fort Berthold January 10.

BY THE CABLES

PARIS, March 2.—The Procureur General yesterday served a notice upon Prince Pierre Napoleon Bonaparte to appear before the High Court to answer in the matter of the Noire Prince.

The specie in the Bank of France shows an increase of 12,000,000 francs.

The press of the city complain of the delay on the part of the government in clearing up the alleged conspiracy against the nation and life of the Emperor.

PARIS, March 3.—A primary meeting of Americans was held last evening to take action upon the death of Burlingame. It was agreed to call a meeting on Wednesday next to be presided over by Minister Washburne. Ex Governor Bullock of Massachusetts will deliver the oration before the diplomatic corps.

ST. PETERSBURG, March 2.—A short time before the death of Burlingame the Chinese Ambassadors had a first audience with the Czar to whom they were presented by Prince Gortschakoff. Burlingame introduced his fellow Embassadors and addressed the Emperor as follows: Sir in the name of myself and my colleagues I have the honor to present a letter of the Emperor of China accrediting us to you and expressing his wishes for the happiness and health of your Majesty and the Imperial family and for the prosperity of your subjects. Permit me to recall to mind the remembrance of your able representative at Pekin Gen. Ignatieff whose policy of equity and justice has contributed to inspire China with the wish to enter into the family of nations, and learn how to live through us to declare her desire that the friendly relations between Russia and China which have existed for three centuries may be perpetual.

The Emperor replied: It is agreeable to see you here for you present fresh proofs of the pacific relations which unite Russia and China. The negotiations which you are about to enter upon will draw them closer. The interests which are entrusted to a citizen of a state so especially sympathetic to Russia.

The Embassy was received with all the honors accorded to diplomats of the highest rank.

The Russian Government has withdrawn its demand recently made on Switzerland for the surrender of a Russian criminal who fled to that country for asylum.

ROME, March 2.—The sessions of the Ecumenical Council will be resumed next week. The Pope is confident of his ability to carry the proposition of infallibility.

TURIN, March 2.—At the quarterly meeting of the Grand Lodge of Free and Accepted Masons Earl De Gray

Legal Tender. The Supreme Court Decision

From the N. Y. Times

The most important of the majority of the Supreme Court are those which establish the constitutionality of that great series of acts of Congress which were required to destroy the rebellion. Singularly enough it is the decision of an unfriendly Court of a State which stood on the brink of disloyalty which has been affirmed and in effect the numerous decisions made in support of the act through out the North are reversed.

[illegible] the present Chief Justice who [illegible] he himself the only man who was not the author of the measure which he now aids to destroy, he not as Secretary of the Treasury was the strongest advocate of its passage without which powerful co-operation it could not have become a law. Mr. Spaulding, who was Chairman of the Committee of Ways and Means of the House of Representatives and the author of the bill suggested to Mr. Seward the embarrassment he felt from the want of support on the part of Mr. Chase, and the latter after stating in a letter to Mr. Spaulding, that he came to it reluctantly, declared that he had done so firmly and thoroughly. From an examination of the Comptroller's report for February, 1862, it will appear that it was owing to the urgency of Mr. Chase in the form of letters that the bill was suddenly taken from the Committee on Ways and Means and ordered to a vote, after a two-hours discussion. It is very important, he wrote, that the bill should go through today and through the Senate this week." The situation of the Treasury required this extraordinary haste. The Secretary's views of law at his solicitation, permit to commence execution, and requested, at a later period, that the amount of legal-tender issues should be increased. It was through [illegible] denominations under five dollars, it was Mr. Chase who did more than any other to flood the country with them, [illegible] with his own effigy; and [illegible] the bill was [illegible] he declared that [illegible] under the solemnity of [illegible] was unconstitutional and void.

The grave circumstances of that extraordinary time can scarcely be forgotten. The State banks on the 31st of December, 1861, had very generally suspended the payments. At a meeting of their principal managers in New York, it was announced to Mr. Chase, on the part of Mr. Gallatin that they could [illegible] no more of the bonds of the United States; that they were only agents for placing public loans, and that what they had on hand could not be disposed of, as there were no takers, either here or abroad. The attitude of foreign countries at the time was generally not of a friendly character, and the issues presented to our Government was, whether, as the public funds were wholly exhausted and the associated banks had [illegible] their inability to furnish additional [illegible] we should resort to the policy of a [illegible] or abandon the war. The letters of Mr. Chase clearly show that we had [illegible] this point in the struggle, and it would appear from his present views that at such [illegible] he had no other duty but [illegible] If his views had then prevailed the rebellion would have been successful, probably to the extent of imposing its own authority over the Northern Union.

The argument in favor of the constitutionality of the legal-tender act lies, as it were, in a nut shell. The power to construct war carries with it the right to employ all necessary and proper means for achieving success. The policy of Great Britain in making the bills of the Bank of England in effect a legal tender during the wars with Napoleon was resorted to from dire necessity. The precious metals were being exported to the Continent, partly through the instrumentality of emissaries of Napoleon and that proud and opulent nation was compelled to set the example which we followed. It may be assumed that no nation which has permitted an extensive resort to paper money during peace can conduct a war of great magnitude on the basis of the precious metals. Such has been our situation as to preceding issues of paper; and inasmuch as the war power reaches to the bought of the emergency there was no escape from the measure which Mr. Chase supported. This power being a means to the end, and Congress which is the judge of the fact having pronounced it to be necessary and proper, it clearly became lawful, because not prohibited by the Constitution.

In bestowing the power to raise and support armies, the means are not [illegible] and in raising the means the situation must be regarded. Mr. Chase, as Secretary of the Treasury was the best judge at the time; he urged that the legal-tender measure was necessary and proper and he induced Congress to unite in declaring this fact. The sole question which the Court had to consider, in view of the pressure of uniform decisions made from the origin of the Government, was therefore this, whether the measure was reasonably conducive to the end in view, and was unprohibited. There is no pretence that it was prohibited and it is clear from the experience of England and of this country that as a means it is efficacious. What would be the [illegible] constitution if we were obliged to [illegible] the [illegible] war with this decision staring us in the face.

From the decision pronounced in February 1866 it would appear that as to recent contracts made payable in coin, judgment will be enforced specifically in coin, and that when made in dollars generally without specifying the kind of currency judgment will be entered for dollars without distinction. Although the latter point did not arise in the case which fell from the Court will no doubt generally be adopted. The contracts made prior to the act of February 1862 now held [illegible] payable in gold are numerous but the reinforcement will be subject to the doubt which prevails as to the future construction of the Court. We repeat therefore that no hasty [illegible] upon the body which assumes to [illegible] appointments, than to be certain that this necessary power in war shall be restored to the Government and that the Court shall be constructed on a plan which instead of being harmonious with Kentucky shall discourage personal ambition and be attract harmony with the loyal [illegible] of the Republic.

[illegible] and Parr died at 152 from over eating. His body showed no symptoms of decay to the celebrated Harvey who dissected him.

Rev. George Muirs Bishop of Glasgow reached 107.

Thomas Cort died in 15th aged 207 if the parish register may be credited.

Henry Jenkins at the Yorkshire Assizes said he was 169. Three witnesses of said the man was a very old man when they were boys. He was admitted to be 100 years of age. The Imperial Census of their respective [illegible] was 1,000 lived from 100 to 110, 2, from 120 to [illegible] from 140 to 150 and [illegible] had been and lengthy [illegible] persons who lived about 100 [illegible] is the only author of note [illegible] dr shows the most of the [illegible] were of medium height and [illegible] temperate [illegible] to high Sierra and the High Lands of [illegible] are remarkable instances of longevity.

It was Hufeland's belief that not for the [illegible] nature man might attain to the age of [illegible] years. We may with [illegible] assert he says that strength [illegible] and activity of [illegible] are [illegible] of old age.

[illegible] of the present [illegible] British [illegible] require eighteen hours sleep [illegible] the [illegible] a perfect

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Railways and Party Politics

The *Herald* comes out directly and openly against the Portland Astoria and Seaside Railroad bill. Its article is inspired by political rather than by considerations and in its closing sentence the subject is cannot disguise the fact would be glad to see the measure fail if possible the railroad controversy kept open in the hope that its party thereby gain some advantage. It would the State deprived of this grant and lose benefits that would accrue from it if a little party capital could be made paper attempts to cloak its real design a pretended approval of Smith's scheme for a grant of land on the west stretching south from Portland a distance of two hundred miles. We say this is unnecessary because in the first place body who knows anything about Oregon that the grant would embrace very little and, because in the next place no that would advance money on a grant which a legal controversy would at once.

Such a grant would therefore be of no whatever as a means of building a road much money, does any one suppose, be raised on the faith of a land grant in the first place, would carry with it land of value, and which in the next would involve the parties in litigation they could take the first step toward ing it available? We hope the west side not be doomed to wait for such a chimera and doubtful project to succeed, before a railroad.

the value of the grant in the shape in it has passed the Senate, and of the which it will possess as a basis of for building a road not only to connect and Astoria but also through the side counties to the head of the valley, have heretofore repeatedly spoken. These things are known and universally acknowledged. As this bill has passed the Democratic opposition by the Senator Williams, 1st Congressman this fall, if he dared, in his duty toward House. He probably will oppose it, the manner of his political friends in Senate, and no doubt this bill of his is opposed as a covert attack upon the only that is of practical utility for the said. But it will pass in spite of him in spite of the general opposition of the democratic party, as represented in Congress, years of land.

There is [illegible] shortcome of censure in all the democratic papers against Senator Williams the Republican party because of the stance of the controversy between the and west side roads. Now, if there any blame in the matter and if any party liable for it, that party is the Democratic. the land grant has been unsettled and diverted from the company which had the original title to the first Legislature is responsible for the act. That Legislature was mostly Democratic in both branches. The majority was large enough to do what it chose. There are Democrats to go about declaring that the west side been robbed of its land grant, hoping make party capital out of the charge; but want to state that the late Democratic Legislature was chief actor in the measure which they now denominate as "robbery." any wrong has been committed against the west side; if any right belonging to the west side has been disregarded or violated let the responsibility thereof rest upon the late majority Legislature, where it primarily belongs. Are not Democratic politicians making a guilty figure in going before Republicans and urging them to vote for Democratic orders that they may thereby right an alleged wrong, perpetrated, (if a wrong) by a majority Legislature?

The fact is the *Herald* throughout its intent in regard to the party phases under which the grant was made this subject appear, but it shows that it is sadly wanting in knowledge of the geography of the State, even within a circuit of fifty miles of Portland. For instance, it says: "It will take very sharp optics to per- ceive how Portland is to be benefitted by a road that goes *southward* nearly to the south line of Washington county, and thence *eastward* to Astoria." We answer that writer on a public journal, if he expects to serve the public intelligently, ought to know something of the geography of the country immediately surrounding him. A railroad from Portland to Astoria will *not* "go southward nearly to the south line of Washington county." It will not "go southward" at all. Forest Grove lies on the base line, due west Portland, and the road projected to Hillsboro, as far as Forest Grove will run due west. The road from Forest Grove to Hillsboro which, as far as Forest Grove will be identical with the Astoria road, will not "go southward" a single mile long till it passes Forest Grove. In the immediate vicinity of Forest Grove, at point, the junction will be established and the Wallamet valley road taking a southerly direction, and the Astoria road a northwesterly direction. The proposed railway line from Portland to Astoria is thus very nearly a direct line, and is shorter than the route by the Tualatin and Columbia rivers. So much for the circuitous railroad route which the *Herald's* map maker has laid down.

Still another objection is urged in the *Herald's* article. That objection is based, predicatedly, on the view that the construction of the proposed railway to Astoria would be a job, and perhaps even fatal to Portland. Such a view is based on very narrow ideas and Portland is to be governed by such ideas she pays as well give up all her anticipations of rapid growth and future greatness. By taking the lead in railway movements and laying out her plans to accord with the expansive growth and future demands of the surrounding country she will make herself a railroad center and be able to command the situation for all time. But if she holds back from one enterprise and another afraid to allow a railroad to be built to connect her with any other point, lest she may thereby lose her pre-eminence, she will let her opportunity pass for ever. A railway from Astoria to Portland ahead of being an injury would be a powerful aid to this city. As an auxiliary of the commerce of Portland its influence would be incalculable. Connecting with other railways terminating here, it would help to make Portland a central point and build it up just as systems of converging railways have built up numberless cities throughout our country. We not want a quicker way of reaching the mouth of the Columbia river than by the slow progress of steamboats? And in view of the prospective demands of travel and commerce is not such quicker method going to be a positive necessity? Portland can be kept back by beaming off such enterprises as these, and can never be injured but can be built up beyond all computation, by encouraging them.

Mr Smith's bill which the *Herald* so purely party reasons so strongly commends is gotten up chiefly as a partisan dodge until will be forgotten as soon as the election over and the party spoils secured. Indeed we doubt strongly whether it will ever be heard of again in Congress. Its merits are nothing, as compared with the Portland Astoria and West Side bill. If passed it would be only a local concession. Congress would give the company the privilege of going to distant parts of the State first and then Congress will never. The plain truth is that the exigencies of party politics require the *Herald* to be thus hostile to a land grant of very great importance to the State and that paper is therefore in the very same category with the members of its party in the Senate who unitedly opposed it.

Striking Contrasts

The Philadelphia *Press* notes that we do things very differently after all in this country from the custom of other countries and the Democrats and rebels and wrong doers generally ought to be thankful therefor instead of continually abusing it as is their wont.

When poor Salnave was caught and tried and shot all in an afternoon, he pleaded the case of Jefferson Davis but without effect. After pleading a very unmanly precedent it is to be said for the credit of Salnave that he met his fate like a man. His name will not go down to history in petticoats.

And now comes the news that a measure will soon be carried through Congress to restore to General Lee a portion of his property captured at Arlington the same which Andrew Johnson, when leaving the White House ineffectually attempted to turn over. To point the contrast the telegrams from Paris report the rumor that a motion will be made in the Corps Legislatif to restore the Orleans property taken by the government in 1848. Napoleon objects, however and the prospects of success are slim.

Handsomely Caught

The Democrats in the National House of Representatives were handsomely caught the other day. A Republican member, during a discussion on the tariff question, offered a resolution in favor of a "tariff for revenue on foreign imports, and such equal taxation under the internal revenue laws as will afford incidental protection to domestic manufactures, and as will, without impairing the revenue, impose the least burden upon and best promote and encourage the great industrial interests of the country." This resolution did not please the Democratic members. There was too much of the "iniquity of protection in it. Therefore they nearly all voted against it. But the joke of the whole thing is that the resolution was copied *verbatim* from the National Democratic platform on which Mr Seymour was nominated for President! The Democrats in Congress went right back on the "time-honored and unchangeable principles," and declared by their votes that they did not mean what they said when they constructed the platform on which they fought the last national contest.

The Lenten Fast.

The present is the season of Lent and the following article on the Lenten Fast, contributed by a pen in this city, will no doubt be interesting to very many of our readers:

A Fast before Easter has been observed from the earliest Christian times, but the period of its duration varied in different countries and ages down to the seventh century. According to Irenæus, Bishop of Lyons in France, in a letter to Victor, Bishop of Rome, about the end of the second century, in which he discusses the varying rules about Easter—"Some think they are to fast one day, some two, and some more, and some forty days." Tertullian, a few years later, speaks of the practice of the Church as being observed with certainty to be founded on that passage of the Gospel in which those days were appointed for fasting, during which the Bridegroom was taken away. This has been thought by some to point to the period of forty days, during which our Lord was going through His Temptation in the wilderness, but it is far more probable that it refers to the time forty hours—during which His Soul was separated from His Body. Some few years later still, towards the middle of the third century, Origen speaks of forty days being consecrated to fasting before Easter. And at the Council of Nice, A D 325, this period was taken for granted, as if long in use. The primary object of the institution of a fast before Easter was doubtless that of perpetuating to the hearts of every generation of Christians the sorrow and mourning which the Apostles and Disciples felt during the time that the Bridegroom was taken away from them. This sorrow had, indeed, been turned into joy by the Resurrection, yet no Easter joys could ever erase from the mind of the Church the memory of those awful forty hours of blank desolation which followed the last sufferings of her Lord and she lives over year by year the time from the morning of Good Friday to the morning of Easter Day by a representation of Christ evidently set forth crucified among us. This probably was the earliest idea of a fast before Easter. But it almost necessarily followed that sorrow concerning the death of Christ should be accompanied by sorrow concerning the cause of that death and hence the Lenten Fast became a period of self discipline, and was probably from its earliest institution to Apostolic times. And according to the literal habit which the early Church had of looking up to the pattern of her Divine Master the forty days of His fasting in the Wilderness while He was undergoing temptation became the guage of the Servants Lent deriving still more force as an example from the typical prophecy of it which was so evident in the case of Moses and Elijah. St Chrysostom Bishop of Constantinople A D 397, speaks of great strictness in fasting on the part of many in his day such as is still found in the Eastern Church. He also speaks in one of his homilies of men being purified in the days of Lent by prayer and alms deeds by fasting watching tears and confession of sins, showing that the severe Lents of later ages were only such as had been observed in the time of that great Father of the Church.

The general mode of fasting seems to have been to abstain from food until after six o'clock in the afternoon and even then not to partake of animal food or wine. Yet it may well be doubted whether such a mode of life could have been continued day after day for six weeks by the sick whose duties called upon them for much physical exertion. And it seems more than probable that the strict rules mentioned by the Fathers were rules for ecclesiastics rather than for ordinary Christian people. The Church of England and in common with her the Protestant Episcopal Church in the United States have not expressly defined any rule on the subject of fasting but while they inherit and hold in high respect the venerable customs of holy times and pious practices of the Catholic or Universal Church of Antiquity they aim to carry out the primitive spirit of that holy season in harmony with the individual freedom of the personal Christian conscience. In common with the Greek and Latin branches of the Catholic Church the Anglican Church observes with religious veneration and strictness the season of Lent but lays upon her children no greater rule than that they observe the sacred seasons as acts of personal humiliation abstinence from pleasure of fasting prayer penitence of alms deeds and charities and as a season for the special cultivation of all the graces and duties of the Christian life.

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The New York *World* this Boston feels aggrieved because the Prince has not visited the Hub. He only stopped in New York to get his boots blacked and inquire after Lord Amsley. He'll be here after awhile like a wise boy he is saving his best cake for the last mouthful.

The Russian Government has through its Minister made a demand upon our Government for the interest on the Alaska purchase money alleged to be due from the date of the stipulation of payment by treaty to the actual date on which payment was made.

CURRENT NOTES

Gen Sutta A [illegible] years old and as rich for a [illegible] as ever.

The [illegible] fall [illegible] in and M [illegible] a was $[illegible] and the receipts from the sale of dogs yet by the General Government [illegible] to November 30 1868 were $7 1 0 6 5.

The leaders of the Liberal Reform Party in New Hampshire have forgotten all about the right to tax law in the even political campaign and are working day and night to advance their cause.

The Telegraph of the Supreme Court of Alabama [illegible] the effect that marriages solemnized with the State during the war are null and void and has caused a rapid reconstruction in many households.

A note to the St Louis *Republican* General James Shields contradicts the report that he was present at a meeting lately held in that city the object of which was to raise a fund for a monument to Stonewall Jackson.

A correspondent of the New York *Tribune* calls for a place in history by proposing a seventeenth amendment to the Constitution prohibiting the manufacture and importation of all alcoholic liquors or the raising or importation of tobacco forever and eternally.

The Legislature of Florida has granted it is said, over $8 000 000 of gold bearing State bonds to a railroad company which is equivalent to nearly $19 000 000 of currency. Total taxable property of the State as shown by the late assessment is $25 000 000. The State debt now by this issue being over $11 000 000 with a population of $140 000. This seems to be about the biggest thing on record of the kind.

Says the New York *Tribune* of February 18th: The bill in relation to the election of canvassers and inspectors of election in New York city was warmly debated in the Assembly yesterday by Messrs Kiernan and Hillman. It was claimed during the debate that perjuries in New York were known to have voted as many as twenty times at one election. As the Democrats generally figure up any majority here that they need these statements coming from prominent Democrats are rather damaging.

A Washington dispatch (Feb 15th) to the N Y *Times* says: The pressure from the West for the creation of additional ports of entry and delivery is very great and there are at least two or three hundred applications petitions and bills now before Congress praying for the creation of more. The Treasury Department, however is indisposed to further increase the number of these ports, and will shortly submit to Congress a communication asking for the abolition of many of the minor ones, on the ground that the importations are too small, and that their continuance entails too heavy an expense on the Government.

Salaries of United States Judges

[From the Chicago Republican.]

There is a bill pending in the Senate which provides for the increase of the salary of the Chief Justice to $12,000, of each Associate Justice to $10 000 of the Circuit Judges to $6 500, and District Judges to $5 000. This journal has not been slow to advocate economy and retrenchment in every department of the Government service and it will not hesitate to denounce national niggardliness, however aptly it may assume the comely disguise of economy.

From the time of the old Hebrews, when it was discovered that "there is that scattereth and yet increaseth, and there is that withholdeth more than is meet, but it tendeth to poverty," to the "poor preach, poor pay" of our own Indians, it has proved true that false economy frequently is both dangerous and expensive. This is especially the case with respect to the salaries of our high judicial officers. The name of Justice of the Supreme Court has always been one of honor. Of those who have been numbered among the members of the Court, there have been many whose learning, dignity, and integrity have been the just pride of their countrymen, and who have excited the admiration and the envy of the most distinguished foreign jurists. With very few exceptions, the United States has been well served upon the Supreme bench. The country has made a very scant return for these services. The judges of its courts are paid less than judges of similar courts in any country in the world, while their duties and responsibilities are vastly greater. The judges of the courts of England receive hundreds of gold sovereigns where our justices receive hundreds of paper dollars, and the security, position, dignity, and honor of the former are not less. The salary for a similar position in England would scarcely be less than one hundred thousand dollars. It is characteristic of, and a compliment to the peculiar nature of this Republic, that it can find such eminent men to do its service for such low pay. At present the Chief Justice receives $6,500, the Associate Justices $6 000 each, and the District Judges $5,000 each. A gentleman who has taken pains to investigate this subject found last winter in Washington the daughters of a late Chief Justice making a very scanty and precarious livelihood by copying documents in one of the public offices at eight cents per one hundred words. The father of these ladies gave up a very lucrative practice to serve his country as Chief Justice, and after remaining upon the bench more than twenty years, died, leaving the family nearly destitute, and his habits were temperate and his mode of life the most simple. Another Justice of the same Court is at present paying his entire salary for the board and lodging of himself and wife and they have one parlor and one bed room the bed room serving as an office and consultation room, and the bed in the day time as the receptacle of the Judge's papers. The Judge from California relinquished a practice of forty thousand dollars a year for a position on the Supreme bench and six thousand dollars while his fees were in gold his salary is in paper. It is known that another member resigned his position because he was unable to support his family on the salary, and unlike some of the Judges he had not a princely private income. The truth is no lawyer of such distinguished abilities as entitle him to such a position can accept the place without he has a fortune of his own. Two of the present Justices are immensely wealthy men and as able as they are wealthy but such a combination is a very rare exception. It is much oftener the case that lawyers who devote themselves to attaining eminence in their profession have no time for making a fortune and are consequently practically ineligible to the Supreme bench. The President's choice is now limited to the very few lawyers who are independently wealthy. Or if a man in moderate circumstances with a family accepts the office he does it with the fullest knowledge that he is condemning himself to a life of very arduous toil with wages so scant that his family, if they occupy the social position which the country expects and demands will continually be in want and that upon his death the only heritage he may leave his children is poverty. Necessity compels eminent lawyers to be disciples of the bread and butter philosophy as well as other men and with the assurance of a successful career at the bar they will and must decide for fortune and a favorable career rather than for judicial honors and poverty. Lawyers who have no property ought not to be itself eligible to the Supreme bench. At present they are ineligible by reason of a property qualification of the most odious nature. Such a judicial aristocracy is contrary to the spirit of our institutions is essentially unrepublican. It may not always happen that our wealthy lawyers are such men as would honor the country in such a position—indeed it is quite unlikely that such will be the case and the result will be that the Court which has been considered one of the most essential features of our governmental system the bulwark of our national safety will degenerate into an oligarchy of wealthy mediocrity. The Supreme Court has never we believe been charged with corruption but it is not because its members are not peculiarly liable to temptation. Setting as a court of last resort upon the final decision in cases involving millions contested by princes who would offer bribes to have any means which would secure a decision in their favor it is quite possible that at some moment human nature may fail especially if pressed by poverty. The country cannot afford it upon the risk of such danger. Up to this time most of the Supreme Court Justices have been men of eminent ability but if these scant salaries are not increased it will be difficult to obtain men fitted for the position. The road to wealth comfort independence and position scarcely less eminent is by practice at the bar. That fact many men will choose to follow. And if Congress pay the country will have as at present deserves of its Justices. The meaning of the bill for the increase of salaries is practically this—shall we continue to have men of great ability as Judges of the United States Courts or not? The proposed increase is not to generous. Twelve thousand dollars a year is not more than enough for the support of a family in a social position not inferior to that of the President of the United States. It is besides not less the duty of a man to provide for the future of those who are dependent upon him because he is Chief Justice. There is reason to believe that the people will not object to such an increase of salaries. The aggregate amount is trifling.

OREGON

James Coffee and John Hunt two boys from Scottsburg Douglas county have been appointed Lieutenants in the Marine Department.

Many tons of flour are shipped annually to Coos Bay from California. This trade ought to be supplied from the Columbia river.

At the packing establishment of Thomas Crosby & Co at Salem large quantities of fruit for the home and eastern markets are shipped.

The Salem *Register* says that Dr Shelton of Salem on Tuesday last took from the thigh of P H Coad Howell a tumor of the following dimensions measuring [illegible] long by [illegible] broad which had been there since December 1868. The stick had penetrated to the depth of five inches. The tumor is pulled from a full grown Spanish bayonet.

A thermometrical observation of the Medical Department of Willamette University during the months of January and February, by Hon J H Mitchell, showed that the average temperature during January was 39 degrees and during February 42 degrees. The highest and lowest degrees of heat which had been there since December 1868. The stick had penetrated to the depth of five inches. The tumor is pulled from a full grown Spanish bayonet.

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An Amusing Mistake.—This is the latest story from Paris:

Blanc-mantil-caire who came within an ace of being elected Deputy was returning from Burgundy by a night train. A lady young and pretty occupied the same compartment. Now Blanc who in spite of his really small feet tries to make them smaller still was suffering terribly from tight boots. All at once he noticed that the lady was unlacing and it struck him he could just as well take off his boots while he did. Suddenly the same idea lights began to appear in sight. One boot is quickly put on but the other alas does not go on so easily. He pulls and pushes finally the foot goes in but is terribly pinched. Once at the station Blanc hides himself in a cab and thinks his troubles at an end. When he reaches the house imagine his surprise at finding his right foot in a lady's boot. The lady had been in a similar situation with himself. Madame Blanc refuses to believe a word of his story she cries, goes into hysterics, and finally returns to her father refusing to hold any communion ion with her unfortunate husband. But think of the reception accorded to the lady of the train when her husband saw her predicament.

Mrs Horace Cooke is profiting pecuniarily by her husband's wicked conduct the church subscribing liberal sums of money for her. An irreverent fellow suggests that she would do well to get him again.

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MR BUCHANAN WILL COMMENCE HIS [illegible] Singing School at [illegible] Hall [illegible] Monday [illegible] at 7½ o'clock P M. [illegible] Singing [illegible] Saturday afternoon [illegible] at 2 o'clock P M. [illegible] Admission [illegible] Gentleman and Lady $[illegible] Additional [illegible] Single Gentleman $[illegible] Additional [illegible] Single Lady $[illegible] Additional [illegible] Children [illegible] Tuition [illegible] payable [illegible] advance [illegible] Private lessons [illegible] Terms [illegible] primary [illegible] Music [illegible] Branch [illegible] Mr Buchanan [illegible] Musical Director [illegible] Portland [illegible] Musical Convention [illegible] all who may [illegible] Professional [illegible] mar4 d1t

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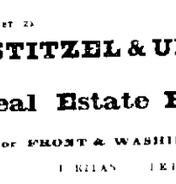

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PORTLAND Feb 4th 1870

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100 bbls MOLASSES

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ALSO,

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The Daily Oregonian.

SATURDAY MORNING, MARCH 5, 1870.

CITY.

RELIGIOUS INTELLIGENCE.—We clip the subjoined items from the Portland *Christian Advocate*: The Monthly Missionary Concert will be held to-morrow afternoon at the Taylor Street M. E. Church. Exercises will consist of declamations, dialogues, recitations and addresses. The public are respectfully invited to attend.

Noonday prayer-meetings, and evening services, have been held at the Taylor Street M. E. Church with much interest during the past week. Services to-morrow; preaching at 11 o'clock A. M., by the pastor, and at 7 o'clock P. M., by Rev. J. H. Wilbar.

The subject for consideration at the preachers' meeting on Tuesday morning next is, "Popular Amusements." I. Dillon was appointed to lead in the discussion. All the preachers, local and traveling, are invited to be present and take part in these discussions.

A note from Bro. Doane, dated Salem, March 1st, says: The revival meetings here still go on, I think with increasing conviction on the minds of many. The young men—converts—have organized themselves into a "praying band," and hold their meetings at 5 P. M. every day in a room in the University.

A revival has been going on in the M. E. Church at Vancouver. The Sunday school connected with that Church is in a flourishing condition. At the Missionary Concert, March 6th, Mr. A. G. Cook will deliver an address, and Miss Emma Smith read an essay on Home Missions. At the Temperance meeting on the 22d ult., 54 persons signed the pledge.

WASHINGTON GUARD—ELECTION OF OFFICERS.—The Washington Guard held its seventh annual [illegible] last evening at the Armory on Stark street, resulting in the choice of the following officers to serve the ensuing year: Captain, O. S. Millington-elected; 1st Lieutenant, S. V. Fuller; 2d Lieutenant, D. Harvey; 1st Sergeant, Ward S. Shields; 2d Sergeant, John Sherlock; 3d Sergeant, Wm. Gibbs; 4th Sergeant, John M. Hill; 5th Sergeant, John Fox. Secretary, Ward S. Shields. Treasurer, S. V. Fuller. This is the first election of Capt. Mills to the command, and his election in that capacity continuously for having served in that capacity continuously from the organization of the company to the present time. This fact is a testimonial of the high-est character to his fitness and efficiency as a commanding officer.

THE BENEFIT GREGORY'S BENEFIT.—As was [illegible] there was a full house last night on the occasion of Miss Bessie's benefit. The bill [illegible] one of the best of the season and the audience [illegible] their approval by frequent and hearty [illegible]. There were new tricks by the [illegible] a new song and aerial acts by Miss [illegible] and Masters J—n, Alex, and Albert, new songs and dances by the little beneficiary, new [illegible] etc., in sufficient variety to satisfy even the most exacting. Gregory matinee this afternoon, and new acts for the regular performance this evening.

[illegible]—Programme 23d Infantry [illegible] Saturday afternoon, March 5th, 1870, [illegible] P. M.

1. [illegible] Quickstep, (Mexican.)
2. [illegible] Magenta.
3. Cornet—"Bella figlia" from Rigoletto, Verdi.
4. [illegible] California Quadrille.
5. Clarionet—"Love thrines sad and soft," *Bishop.*
6. [illegible] Waltzes, *D'Albert.*
7. [illegible] "Thou art gone from my gaze."
8. [illegible] Polka Brigade.

COURT.—The Circuit Court for Multnomah [illegible] will be in session to-day for trial of exceptions. The jurors will be on hand on Monday.

[illegible] will open its March term on Monday next. The Commissioners will meet on the 9th.

The [illegible] District Court will hold its [illegible] term, beginning on Monday, Judge Deady presiding.

PUTTING THE WRONG PLACE.—The *Advocate* says: A spring of water made its appearance [illegible] Ex-Mayor Boyd's residence, on the corner of Second and Jefferson streets, supplying [illegible] with water to the depth of several [illegible] yesterday, for winter use. A [illegible] two-inch auger hole bored from [illegible] through the bank, on a level with the [illegible] of the difficulty."

DOG OUT FOR THIEVES AND GARROTERS.—[illegible] of robbery on the streets are [illegible] owning others, a Mr. St. John from [illegible] about forty dollars by having [illegible] out of his hands, Thursday [illegible] Front street. The *Call* mentions [illegible] on Wednesday night, near the [illegible] and Oak streets.

MISSIONARY SUNDAY SCHOOL CONCERT.—The [illegible] will give one of their regular [illegible] Concerts at the Church, to-morrow [illegible]. Programme: Singing by the School; [illegible] on the Subject of Missions; Duett—Our [illegible] Singing by the School; [illegible] The Temple; Recitation; Solo; [illegible] by the School.

THIEVES AND TRICKSTERS COMING.—We [illegible] a letter, yesterday, received by Mr. [illegible] of this city, which contained some [illegible] of the wonderful tricks performed by the [illegible] Brothers and the statement that they [illegible] to Oregon soon. The Davenports are [illegible] first class jugglers in knots now in [illegible] Francisco.

[illegible] MEETING.—The meeting called [illegible] to consider the proposition to [illegible] from Portland to the Tualatin [illegible] to connect. Not more than three [illegible] were present at any one time, and [illegible] used to know anything of the [illegible].

[illegible] JUBILEE.—The committee appointed by the colored people of Portland, to raise [illegible] defraying expenses of a celebration in honor of the ratification of the 15th Amendment, [illegible] meeting around yesterday. We learn [illegible] meeting with fair success in collecting [illegible].

[illegible] BROTHERS.—Messrs. Wasserman & Co. have [illegible] to have more room to accommodate their increasing [illegible] business, and accordingly [illegible] have been engaged for a day or two in [illegible] a portion of the brick wall separating their old room from the one adjoining on the [illegible] thus uniting the two in one business place.

[illegible] ANNUAL MEETING.—The Pioneer Base Ball Club will hold its annual meeting next Monday evening, at Joseph Buchtel's Gallery, for the election of officers, and the transaction of [illegible] important business connected with the operations of the approaching season.

SUNDAY EVENING SERVICES.—The course of [illegible] evening discourses at the Baptist Church, will be continued next Sunday, at 7½ o'clock, P. M., by Rev. E. C. Anderson. Subject, "Home-Life in Heaven: its enemies reconnoitered." The seats are free, and all are invited.

PROCEEDS OF LECTURES.—The *Catholic Sentinel* says: "The nett proceeds of the two lectures, delivered by Rev. Fathers P. Mans, of Vancouver, and De Crane, of this city, in aid of the Catholic Library and Christian Doctrine Society, [illegible] the sum of $250."

ERROR CORRECTED.—Yesterday morning an advertisement in this paper announced the steamship *Ajax* to sail for San Francisco, Wednesday March 9th. The name of the steamer should have been *Moses Taylor*; otherwise the advertisement was correct.

THE MINNESOTA BED SPRINGS.—Mr. Campbell advertises this new style of bed bottom. Having tried the springs, we are prepared to pronounce them among the best contrivances extant for comfort, durability and cheapness.

PARALYSIS.—A day or two since, Mr. H. Cason of East Portland, was stricken down while walking in the street, with paralysis, from which he had not recovered entirely yesterday. His right side and limbs are affected.

JUVENILE SINGING SCHOOL.—Mr. Buchanan, a [illegible] teacher of vocal music, is about to open a school for juveniles, at Nonpareil Lodge room. The first meeting of his class will be held at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

ARM BROKEN.—We learn that a little boy of Mr. Jackson's, was thrown violently upon the ground yesterday, while at play and suffered a fracture of the left fore arm.

GREGORY MATINEE.—As usual, there will be a matinee at Oro Fino Theater this afternoon at 2 o'clock. The programme will be new and will consist of the usual variety.

PUGET SOUND LANDS.—Hunters of terminal real estate on Puget Sound, might learn some thing to their advantage by calling on Messrs Russel & Ferry.

SOCIETY MEETING.—The members of the St. Paul De Vincent Society will have a meeting at their hall at 8 o'clock to-morrow morning.

POPULAR SERMONS.—Rev. T. L. Eliot will preach a sermon at Oro Fino Theater on Sunday evening. Subject: "The Under tow of Portland."

BOARD OF DELEGATES.—The Board of Delegates of the Fire Department will have a regular meeting this evening at eight o'clock.

GOING TO SALEM.—Mr. Miller informs us that the Gregory Family will shortly visit Salem for a brief show season.

FROST.—There was a white frost yesterday morning, with the thermometer below forty degrees.

Internal Revenue Returns.

The following is a summary of the tabular statement of the receipts from the income tax accompanying the report of the Commissioner of Internal Revenue just issued. It shows the proportions paid by the several States and Territories of the income tax collected during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1869. The figures give the net amount credited, a total of $120,064 04 having been refunded to the several States:

Alabama	$ 77,499 20
Arizona	4,874 71
Arkansas	32,361 00
California	1,297,611 90
Colorado	13,834 00
Connecticut	957,367 28
Dakota	810 15
Delaware	168,264 68
Dist. of Columbia	202,686 70
Florida	28,527 30
Georgia	290,474 14
Illinois	2,338,490 40
Indiana	507,404 58
Idaho	237,835 37
Kansas	59,698 93
Kentucky	578,488 88
Louisiana	276,903 27
Maine	216,899 29
Maryland	934,822 28
Massachusetts	8,807,980 42
Minnesota	88,187 14
Michigan	607,745 28
Iowa	301,725 55
Mississippi	29,062 85
Missouri	715,278 30
Montana	16,560 09
Nebraska	35,488 09
Nevada	127,812 12
New Hampshire	135,696 43
New Jersey	1,849,961 23
New Mexico	10,444 40
New York	10,696,961 28
North Carolina	61,151 49
Ohio	2,013,608 50
Oregon	38,922 04
Pennsylvania	3,994,231 66
Rhode Island	611,084 45
South Carolina	93,752 69
Texas	106,398 98
Utah	22,929 97
Vermont	118,267 43
Virginia	175,868 08
Washington Territory	11,222 94
West Virginia	91,894 81
Wisconsin	273,477 17
Wyoming	2,955 60
Tennessee	225,140 99
Total	$34,109,829 28

CURIOUS GEOLOGICAL FORMATIONS.—It is stated by one of our foreign exchanges that near the city of Medina, in Italy, and about four miles around it, wherever the earth is dug, when the workmen arrive at a depth of sixty-three feet they come to a bed of shalk, which they bore, with an augur, five feet deep. They then withdraw from the pit before the augur is removed, upon its extraction the water bursts up through the aperture with great violence and quickly fills the newly made well, which continues full, and is affected by neither rains nor drouth. But what is more remarkable in this operation is the layers of earth as we descend. At the depth of fourteen feet are found the ruins of an ancient city, paved streets, houses, doors, and different pieces of mason work. Under this is found a soft, oozy earth, made up of vegetables; and, at twenty-six feet, large trees entire, such as walnut trees, with the walnuts still stuck to the stem, and the leaves and branches in a perfect state of preservation. At twenty-eight feet deep a soft shalk is found, mixed with a vast quantity of shells, and the bed is eleven feet thick. Under this, vegetables are found again.

It is stated that no fewer than 27,000 penny song books are sold every day throughout France. What is still more surprising is the immense number of persons engaged in the trade. It is the custom for a man of a family of beggars to procure the song books and tramp the whole country round singing the songs in them. This attracts attention, and then they sell the little books. The singers in France number about 800,000. They may be divided into three great orders: those at fixed posts, the tramps who wander about and sing in the streets, and those who frequent the low eating houses.

TRADE IN FLOWERS FOR PERFUMERY.—A recent French authority states that to obtain one kilogramme of oil of roses, from 10,000 to 30,000 kilogrammes of roses petals are required; for the same amount of the oil of lavender, 250 kilogrammes of the flowers; of oil of geranium, 2,000 kilogrammes of the leaves; and so on. The trade in some of these perfumes is enormous, as may be inferred from the fact that the neighborhood of Nice alone produces annually $40,000 worth of a single flower, the sweet-smelling Nizza violet.

ORLEANISTS.—The Duke de Persigny, Napoleon's old confidential adviser, but who enjoys now but little consideration at court and in leading political circles, thinks that, in investing so many prominent Orleanists with official functions, Napoleon the Third signed the death warrant of the Second Empire. He said the other day that all the leading Prefects, Judges, etc., now were more anxious to prove that in times gone by they were good and loyal Orleanists than Bonapartists.

Count Bismarck is said to be highly elated at the turn affairs have recently taken in France.

An English journalist paid $40 for a copy of the *Marseillaise* on the day of its seizure.

General Ames says that Mississippi was so radical that Jeff. Davis couldn't stay in it.

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RAILROAD MATTERS are very likely to be lively this spring. The East Side Company will engage a large force of men to complete their road to Albany, and the West Side Company will, very probably, build a portion of their road in order to obtain a land grant to facilitate the building of their line to Multnomville. Kohn & Fichel are keeping up with railroad times. Their stock of spring goods coming across the continent by rail will be the largest and finest stock of Clothing ever imported to this State. Their stock in store now is offered very low to make room for large arrivals. They are manufacturing the neatest Boys' Suits and always have on hand a large stock of the same which are offered at lowest figures.

REMOVAL.—J. W. Campbell has removed his new Patent Bed Bottom manufactory to Messrs. Jenson & Rothlisberger's Cabinet and Carpenter shop, southeast corner of Morrison and Fourth streets. Although but recently introduced, the Minnesota Bed Bottom is fast coming into general use and is giving general satisfaction. Come and see it. j20-1m

Board of Delegates.

The regular meeting of the Board of Delegates of the Portland Fire Department, will be held at the Council Chamber, this Saturday evening, at 8 o'clock.

ED. F. ALBRIGHT, Secretary P. F. D.

March 5th, 1870.

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Injure the main spring of a watch and every portion of the works becomes disordered. The human stomach is to the human system what that elastic piece of metal is to a chronometer. It influences the action of the other organs, and controls, to a certain extent, the whole living machine. The comparison may be carried further: for as the weakness or other imperfections of the main spring is indicated on the face of the timepiece, so also is the weakness or other disorder of the stomach betrayed by the face of the invalid. The complexion is sallow or faded, the eyes are deficient in luster and intelligence, and there is a worn, anxious expression in the whole countenance which tell as plainly as written words could do, that the great nourishing organ whose office it is to minister to the wants of the body, and to sustain and renew all its parts, is not performing its duty. It requires renovating and regulating, and to accomplish this end Hostetter's Stomach Bitters may be truly said to be the one thing needful. The broken main spring of a watch may be replaced by a new one, but the stomach can only be repaired and strengthened, and this is one of the objects of the famous vegetable restorative which for eighteen years has been waging a successful contest with dyspepsia in all climates. As a specific for indigestion it stands alone. When the resources of the pharmacopœia have been exhausted, without, at best, doing more than mitigating the complaint, a course of this wholesome and palatable, yet powerful stomachic effects a perfect and permanent cure. In all cases of dyspepsia the liver is more or less disordered, and upon this important gland, as well as upon the stomach and bowels, the Bitters act with singular distinctness, regulating and re-invigorating every secretive and assimilating organ on which bodily and mental health depend.

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HAS JUST RECEIVED PER STEAMER, A SPLENDID selection of Goods suitable for Presents, consisting of **Watches and Clocks, Moss Agate, Enamel and Gold Jewelry.**
The Largest and Best Assortment of ELGIN and WALTHAM WATCHES in the city, are to be seen at my store.
Sole agent for the Celebrated **Self-Winding Watches,** manufactured by A. LANGE, Dresden, and EDWARD FERREGANT, of Lock.
The public are invited to call and examine my Stock before purchasing elsewhere, as I can show them a good selection at cheap prices.
WATCHES and JEWELRY REPAIRED in the best workmanlike manner. J. B. MILLER,
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FROM NEW YORK
WE ARE JUST RECEIVING A FINE ASSORTment of the above goods consisting partly of

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Half Bushel Meas.,	Towel R llers,	Wire Sieves,
Butter Pails,	Barrel Covers,	Knife Trays,
Butter Moulds,	Clothes Pins,	Market, Clothes &
Butter Bowls,	Wash Boards,	Potato Baskets

ALSO,

Door Mats,	Clothes Lines,
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We call the attention of Dealers to these goods selected especially for this market and for sale at reduced rates by
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NEW CANDY MANUFACTORY!
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BEG TO ANNOUNCE TO THEIR PATRONS AND the MERCHANTS throughout the country, that they have commenced the manufacture of all kinds of
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Dealers will find it to their advantage to call and examine our stock and prices.
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Directors' Meeting.
THE DIRECTORS OF THE OREGON CENTRAL Railroad Company of Salem, Oregon, are hereby notified that there will be a meeting of the board at the Office of the Company in Salem, Oregon, on Monday, the 14th day of March, A. D. 1870, at 7 o'clock P. M. A full attendance is requested as business of importance will come before the Board.
By order of I. R. MOORES, President.
Chas. E. Cole, Secretary. mr5dtd

ANY ONE HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST THE United States will find it to their advantage to send a statement of their case to
J. T. DREW,
Counselor-at-Law, Solicitor before the Court of Claims, &c.
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For Sale.—To Let.—Wants.

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Apply to DR. R. OLIVAN,
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A DWELLING OF SMALL OR MEDIUM SIZE is wanted to rent. Address, stating terms, A. Box 311, Post Office, Portland. m1dtf

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WELL QUALIFIED BY LEARNING AND EXperience, desires a situation as Principal of a Graded School. Best of references furnished. For terms, address, for one month GEORGE W. CANNON,
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VALUABLE PROPERTY FOR SALE.
I OFFER FOR SALE AN UNDIVIDED HALF OF what is known as
SMITH BROS.' STONE WARE POTTERY,
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The property consists of a large comfortable Shop containing Three Wheels, a good Kiln, holding eighteen hundred gallons; a large Ware House, Clay Bins and Mill House; a Woodshed, sixty feet square, sufficient to hold two hundred cords of wood, a good Stable and Straw Sheds; a first class Team and Wagon, and all the accouterments and implements necessary to carry on the business, too numerous to mention.
Also, an undivided half of an exclusive Clay privilege for twenty years. First class Stone Ware can be made of this Clay—good brick, and in fact, everything that can be made out of fire clay.
It is favorably situated for shipping.
SMITH BROS have an extensive business, and trade increasing all the time. My partner, A. M. Smith, who understands the business, will remain in it, so that parties need not be afraid on account of not understanding the trade. Persons wishing to make big money fast will do well to call on W. H. SMITH,
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TO SALOON KEEPERS!
TO LET—A LARGE AND WELL-FITTED SALOON, situated in a respectable business part of this city. The incoming tenant would be required to purchase Bar Fixtures and a Splendid Billiard Table (Sticable's make.) The above can be had at a BARGAIN. Reasons for selling, the present occupant wishes to retire from business. For information, apply at the premises on Front street, corner of A, Portland, Oregon. feb9dlm

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BEING DESIROUS OF GOING EAST, I NOW OFfer for sale my well-known
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BUENA VISTA,
on the Willamette river, and on the nearest and best route from Salem to Corvallis and Southern Oregon.
The Ferry Boat is attached to a Suspension Wire Rope and runs by the current, being safe and convenient.
The Warehouse is new, built on the improved plan, with solid walls above high water; grain is received without elevation.
My property is as good if not the best paying property in the State at the same cost. Those wishing a bargain will please call at once on
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And all other kinds of IVORY GOODS, Wholesale and Retail.
Also, Manufacturer and Importer of Cues, Cue Leathers, Chalk, &c., &c. REPAIRS Meerschaum Pipes, Umbrellas, and all other artificial work. fe9d3m

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As a Lubricating Compound it is equal, if not superior to anything of the kind manufactured.
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THE CONNECTION BETWEEN THE UNDERsigned as partners in the practice of Law has been dissolved by mutual consent.
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REAL ESTATE OF EVERY DESCRIPTION bought and sold.
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Orders promptly filled in San Francisco if desired.
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STEAM POWER, NOS. 625 AND 627 FRONT ST.
HAS CONSTANTLY ON HAND GROUND AND ROASTED COFFEE. GREEN COFFEE of the best qualities. CREAM OF TARTAR and SPICES of all sorts.
The undersigned, who has always enjoyed public confidence for the excellent quality of his Coffee, neglects nothing to justify the good name acquired by his productions, the sale of which daily increases. The acknowledged superiority of his merchandize, which commands here, and in the markets of the interior, a relatively higher price, excites the cupidity of some manufacturers, and every day he sees increasing the number of those who, by counterfeit or imitation of his mark, seek to deceive the public, palming upon them their inferior productions for the genuine G. VENARD CHARTRES COFFEE. This fraud can deceive nobody after a trial, but only adds to the favorable opinion of it consumers, the very flattering though unwilling testimony of the counterfeiters. Nevertheless, buyers should be forewarned, and placed on their guard against this practice.
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Each package bears the signature of G. VENARD.
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THE LARGEST
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"The Catalogue of RUMSEY & CO., of Seneca Falls, embraces over 200 different styles and sizes of Lift and Force Pumps. They are now turning out 1,500 Pumps per week, which range in price from $5 00 to $400, employing 180 hands in the business. John A. Rumsey has recently patented an improved galvanized non-corrosive cast iron Pump, which is safe from rust. An improved Hand Fire Engine of great efficiency, is also on their list. The machinery in Rumsey & Co.'s Factory is of the most efficient kind, much of it being of their own invention, and is driven by an unfailing water power. They are now building a new factory, 84x42 feet, 4 stories. When this is completed they will increase their working force to 250 hands. The business carried on by this firm was established by Rumsey about 30 years ago."—*Iron Age, New York.* d14dtf

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IN STORE AND NOW ARRIVING, THE BEST AND most carefully selected Stock of GOOD FURNITURE ever offered in this city. NEW STYLES of Parlor, Bed, Diningroom, Library and Counting House
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BLACK WALNUT LUMBER;
GILT, ROSEWOOD and WALNUT MOULDINGS.
Goods in original packages sold at San Francisco prices and freight.
The Public are invited to examine our Stock
WAREROOMS—Corner FIRST and SALMON STREETS, PORTLAND.
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Removal! Removal!
KOSHLAND BROS.,
HAVE REMOVED TO THE BEAUTIFUL STORE in the Odd Fellows' Temple,
No. 103 FIRST STREET,
Opposite the Post office, where we have opened out a beautiful and well selected assortment of
STAPLE AND FANCY DRY GOODS,
Ladies and Gents' Furnishing Goods;
Ladies, Misses, Children's & Gents' Hose;
Ladies, Misses & Children's Boots & Shoes
Ladies, Misses and Children's Furs, etc.
The best assortment in the city, all of which we offer at low cash prices.
N. B.—We have constantly on hand a quantity of Burlaps, Burlap Bags, Dundee Gunnies, Seamless Bags, Flour Bags, Linen, etc.
We also pay the highest cash price for Furs, Hides, Wool, etc. KOSHLAND BROS.
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NEW STORE! NEW GOODS!
WILLIAM BECK,
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BEADS, BASKETS, WILLOW WARE, BIRD CAGES, CUTLERY AND FIRE ARMS,
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A BRANCH STORE
of his business on
Morrison st., bet. Second and Third,
WHERE HE WILL KEEP A FINE STOCK OF Goods constantly on hand. Just received by Railroad, direct from the manufacturers a fine lot of
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Four Wheels and New Style.
Also, the AGENCY of the WHEELER & WILSON'S IMPROVED FAMILY SEWING MACHINES. MACHINE TRIMMINGS, NEEDLES, THREAD and SILK constantly on hand. Machines for Sale, Rented and Repaired. n15dtf

ST. HELEN'S HALL,
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A BOARDING AND DAY SCHOOL FOR GIRLS.
THE SECOND TERM WILL BEGIN
ON TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 1ST, 1870.
For Circulars or terms of admission apply to
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PORTLAND,
Or to any of the Episcopal Clergy in Oregon or Washington. jan21dawtf

Hotels and Restaurants.

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Formerly "WESTERN HOTEL."
COR. FIRST AND MORRISON STS.,
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Messrs SMITH & COOK
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A call from the traveling public will satisfy them that the statement is above are true.
N. B. Hot and Cold Baths attached to the House for the benefit of Guests. SMITH & COOK
Portland, August 16, 1869. Proprietors.
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(LATE LINCOLN HOUSE,)
Corner Washington and Front Streets,
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L. F. W. QUIMBY,
HAVING taken the above House, wishes to announce to the public that he is now prepared to accommodate guests in a satisfactory manner. Nothing will be left undone, which is in the power of the proprietor to do, to render guests comfortable.
FREE COACH TO AND FROM THE HOUSE.
Portland, Feb. 2, 1867. dtf

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AT REDUCED RATES! Board and Lodging per day from $1 50, to $2 according to the room occupied.
Rooms newly furnished and well ventilated. Superior accommodations for families.
The COLUMBIAN COACH will be in attendance at all the landings to convey passengers and baggage to and from the Hotel *Free of Charge.* j15dtf

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THE PROPRIETOR OF THIS HOTEL HAS COMpleted his improvements and is now keeping as good a house as there is in Oregon.
Persons from the North wishing to winter in this Valley will find in the City Hotel a comfortable home.
The House is open all night. Suits of rooms for Families. Office of Overland Stage Co. Frank Johnson has Telegraph Office in this house. Bath for valuable.
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PRICES TO SUIT THE TIMES, WHERE YOU CAN find to eat the best that is in the market. Board $5 00 per week. Rooms to let. Morrison street, opposite Occidental Hotel. A. MATTHEW.
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HANDLEY & SINNOTT, Proprietors.
THIS WELL KNOWN FIRST-CLASS HOUSE HAVing been recently repaired and renovated throughout, offers superior accommodations and gives better satisfaction to the Traveling Public than any Hotel in Dalles City. It is the only First-Class Hotel in the City, and really the only Hotel the Traveling Community patronize.
Suits of Rooms for Families and superior accommodations for over 300 Guests.
This Hotel is located near the Steamboat Landing and Railroad Depot.
THE HOTEL OMNIBUS will always be at the Railroad Depot and Steamboat Landing on the arrival of passengers to convey them and their baggage to and from the Hotel free of charge.
Particular attention paid to calling guests in the morning for the boats and cars.
They have two large Fire-Proof Safes in the office for the use of their guests.
Hotel open all night in charge of a careful Watchman. Extra attention paid to seeing Families off on the cars or boat. In connection with the Hotel they have a fine BILLIARD SALOON and READING ROOM.
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ONLY FIRST CLASS HOTEL IN THE CITY AND the most complete and the best furnished Hotel in Oregon. THOMAS SMITH,
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CAN BE USED ON PACK, RIDING AND SIDE Saddles. A child large enough to lift a saddle on a horse can tighten up the girth with ease. It is very simple in construction, never gets out of repair, is safe, convenient and costs very little more than the old method.
State, Territorial and County Rights for sale. For the Pacific States and Territories, address C. H. H

nes Gordon Bennett's Announcement in the Herald' of his Marriage

From the N Y Herald June 1840

THE LEADER OF THE HERALD DECLARES IN FAVOR OF LIFE AS A CURE FOR LOVE—HE IS ABOUT AT LAST TO BE MARRIED—NEW MOVEMENT IN CIVILIZATION

I am going to be married in a few days The clouds are so beautiful times are getting so well the prospects of political and moral reform so auspicious that I cannot resist the voice instinct of honest nature any longer I am going to be married to one of the most splendid women in intellect, in heart in mind in property in person in manner but above all yet seen in the course of my interesting pilgrimage through human life

I cannot stop in my career I must fulfil that awful destiny which the Almighty hath written against the wall of Heaven I must give the world a pattern of happy wedded life with all the charities that spring from a true spiritual love In a few days I shall be married according to the holy rites of the most holy Christian Church, to one of the most remarkable, accomplished and beautiful young women of the age She possesses a fortune I sought and found a fortune a large fortune She has no Stonington shares of Manhattan stock but in purity and upright ness she is worth half a million of pure coin an any swindling bank stock as much In good sense and and elegance another half a million in soul, mind and beauty, millions on millions, equal to the whole specie of all the rotten banks in the world Happily, the patronage of the public to the *Herald* is nearly $30 000 per annum almost equal to a President's salary, But property in the world s goods was never my object Fame, public good, usefulness in my day and generation, the progress of true industry—these have been my dreams by night, and my desires by day

In the new and holy condition into which I am about to enter, with the same reverential feelings as I would heaven itself, I anticipate some signal change in my feelings, in my views, in my purposes, in my pursuits What they may be I know not time alone can tell My ardent desire has been through life to reach the highest order of human excellence, by the shortest possible cut Associated, night and day, in sickness and in health, in war and in peace with a woman of the highest order of excellence, must produce some curious results in my heart and feelings, and these results the future will develop in due time in the columns of the *Herald*.

Meantime, I return my heartfelt thanks for the enthusiastic patronage of the public both of Europe and America The holy estate of wedlock will only increase my desire to be still more useful God Almighty bless you all. JAMES GORDON BENNETT

In the postscript to this announcement, Bennett gives notice that he shall have no time to waste upon the editors who attacked him, "until after marriage and the honeymoon."

On the 6th of June, 1840, the marriage was announced at the head of the editorial columns of the *Herald*, as follows.

MARRIED,

On Saturday afternoon, the 6th instant, by the Rev Dr. Bowers, at St Peter's Catholic Church, in Barclay street, James Gordon Bennett, the proprietor and editor of the New York *Herald*, to Henrietta Anges Crean What may be the effect of this event on the great newspaper contest now waging in New York time alone can show.

A New Projectile

A RANGE OF EIGHT OR TEN MILES EXPECTED—A CHARGED CONICAL SHOT TO BE DISCHARGED WHILE IN FLIGHT.

Fortress Monroe, Feb. 9.—Mr. J. W. Hill, of Jefferson, Williams Co. Iowa, has invented a double-shotted projectile, by which he claims a shot can be thrown a distance of eight or ten miles Messrs. Hill and Roberts arrived here on Monday, with permission from Washington to make experiments The shot is conical, with a bore inside and a time fuse at the side. In fact, it is a small cannon itself. An eight-inch shot fired to-day weighed 200 pounds before being loaded. The inner cavity or bore was three and a half inches, and extended some eight inches. Into this cavity was placed a half pound of powder, some tow was then inserted, and then a twelve and a half pound shot. The nozzle is stopped up by a brass plug in two pieces. The double shot is then placed in a cannon and discharged. The fuses are from five to ten seconds. At the end of that time the fuse ignites the powder and discharges the twelve-pound shot. The inventor claims that the velocity of the smaller shot is greater than was the large one, but that is a point to be determined. The experiments were commenced on Monday, but in consequence of the plug in the end of the shot not being screwed in, the plug and the ball both fell out after traveling about one mile For to-day's experiment, however, the plugs were made to screw into the shot, and the result was satisfactory. The fuse to the eight-inch shot was a ten second fuse, and at the end of that time the twelve and a half pound shot was discharged and the eight-inch shot kept on its way until its force was expended. The explosion does not burst the shot but drives out the plug, as there is no vacuum between the shot and the nozzle. This projectile has now been tested for the first time and is pronounced a success The experiments were made by Colonel T. G Baylor, commanding the arsenal at this post, and a full report will be forwarded to the Chief of Ordnance. The principle on which this improvement is made is regarded as a good one Our fifteen-inch guns throw a solid shot at least five miles; load one of these guns with a double-shotted projectile, with a fuse arranged to discharge the small shot when the cannon ball has reached its highest elevation A fifteen-inch shot would take a twenty or twenty-four pound shot without danger of bursting, and it is claimed that it would go further from this elevation than it would from the ground. The large shot would, of course, be fired at an object, while the small one would be sent on to do what execution it could, and in firing at a line of troops would be very effective The small shot is made with a sabot for the rifle in the large shot, and is large enough to fill up the space between the powder and the plug, which is screwed in, but only just enough to keep it from being shaken out, Messrs. Hill and Roberts are entirely satisfied with the success of their experiments, and believe they can fire a shot almost any distance.

EVER TRUE.—The Painesville (Ohio) *Enterprise* tells the following

The numerous friends of Miss Rebecca Jones, daughter of Thomas Jones, who resided in this vicinity twenty years ago will learn with pleasure that she is at last happily married to the man of her choice, after waiting many years for him In 1849 as is known by many of our older readers, she was betrothed to E. D Pierce, an officer who served in our volunteer army during the Mexican war Mr Pierce, however, was smitten with the gold fever that prevailed so extensively at that time, and went to California to make his fortune He led a party across the plains, and afterward was at the head of several exploring expeditions to the mining regions of the Pacific and Rocky Mountain States, acquiring an intimate and extensive knowledge of that section Fortune was changeful, but finally he conquered all difficulties and became wealthy Several times he started to the States to marry his affianced, but something always occurred to prevent his coming Still the girl he left behind him remained true through all the passing years, and they were married in Indiana last November A few days since they made a brief visit to this place, reviving old friendships and making new ones They start for California in February, intending to make their home at Oakland, a beautiful town on the Bay of San Francisco, ten miles from that city

Thibet, in Central Asia, is the most elevated inhabited country on the globe It consists of extensive table lands surrounded by lofty mountain chains, the lowest portions of which are 10 000 feet above the level of the sea The people of Thibet belong to the same family as the Chinese they are agile, generous and brave and the most singular feature of their society is the polyandry, or a plurality of husbands In this respect they are the exact opposite of the Mormons sometimes one woman is the wife of all the brothers in the family

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Legal tenders have advanced in this market to 8 per cent gold by reason both of over issues and of the decision of the Supreme Court that the Legal Tender law is unconstitutional as to contracts entered into before the passage of the act The decision of the Supreme Court in the Legal Tender cases will probably be announced within the next few days The business activity of the country continues unabated by the prospect of an early adjournment of Congress and the withdrawal of the Legal Tender notes from circulation Whether or not the Supreme Court shall sustain the validity of the Legal Tender law, it is generally believed that the business of the country will be but little affected thereby

Outside of the money market there is now what seems to be the healthiest condition of affairs in the history of the country It is not to be denied that the Bank of England is seeking a fresh supply of bullion from San Francisco But the fact is known to the commercial community that the Bank of England is not embarrassed in any way, and that the demand for bullion is not caused by any financial pressure in England, but by the fact that the Bank of England is willing to pay a premium for bullion in order to increase the specie reserve of the Bank, which has been reduced by the withdrawal of gold for export to the East Indies, and by the withdrawal of gold for export to the Continent to pay for the large importations of grain from the Continent during the past year The Bank of England is willing to pay a premium for bullion in order to increase the specie reserve of the Bank, which has been reduced by the withdrawal of gold for export to the East Indies, and by the withdrawal of gold for export to the Continent to pay for the large importations of grain from the Continent during the past year

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